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I 1/2 c. per 1b., Good Manitoba Chicken Feed The Brackman-Ker Milling Co., Ltd.

## Something **Doing Shortly**

Emmerson Has Been Sent For to Succeed Honorable Mr. Blair.

Probable That Fielding Will Get **Promotion But None For** Templeman.

Sir Frederick Borden Enters Into Elaborate Defence of Militia Scheme

There is much speculation as to whether or not Mr. Emmerson will get the portfolio of railways and canals.

In some quarters Hon. Mr. Fielding is credited with a liking for the job, and he may be disposed to surrender the finance portfolio for the additional prestige and patronage which the railway's portfolio will give him.

Mr. Emmerson will be here Thursday or Friday.

The government has received from Premier Seddon, of New Zealand, a received read of the property of the

Mr. Edin.

Any or Friday.

The government has received to Premier Seddon, of New Zealand, a request to join with that colony and Australia, Cape Colony and Natal, in a protest to the Imperial government against the proposal to introduce Chinese labor into the Transvaal gold mines.

A deputation representing the Canadian carriage makers will wait upon the government. The tarriff upon carriage makers will wait upon the government. The tarriff upon carriage makers will wait upon the government. nt. The tarriff upon carrier cent., but it is contended by manufacturers that often Amilt vehicles are entered at exlow value, thereby coming uncompetition with carriages of a make. It is to secure for the a minimum value for duty that

would be injured thereby. He had no fears on that score whatever, as if political appointments were made, the result could only be that the country would rise up in condemnation of the government and would hurl them from office. A poil of those present would have shown fully half of those present in leasurement with the minister, as many believe this a move to get government

### THIRTEEN KILLED IN MICHEL MINE

Bodies Recovered and Large Funeral Procession in Spite

C. P. R. TRAFFIC

Montreal, Jan. 11.—C. P. R. traffic for the week ending January 7th \$697,-000; same week last year \$794,000.

OPEN DOOR THREATENED.

Korean Mine Owner Addresses Cornell Students on Far East. Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 11 .- Cornell Uni-

versity celebrating today the ninety seventh anniversary of the birth of its founder, Ezra Cornell, the annual ad-dress on the "Situation in the Fat Fact" was deligibled in the mirror founder, Ezra Cornell, the annual address on the "Situation in the Far East" was delivered in the university armory by J. Stoat Fassett, of Elmira, who owns extensive tracts of mining lands in Korea and has paid numerous visits to that country. Mr. Fassett said: The open door is threatened. If Russia wins the struggle with Japan the door will be closed. If Japan wins the door will be kept open. If war came, he said the reverberations of the first gun fired in the Orient would be heard in every market in the world, and the war might draw forth armies from France, Germany, England and perlaps even from America itself before ermany, England and per from America itself befor

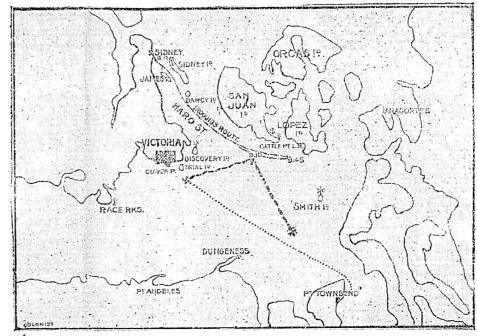
# THORPE'S

Pale Dry Ginger Ale.

# THE SEA GIVES UP VICTIMS OF WRECK

Eight Bodies Were Recovered By the Tug Fleet and Search Parties Desires That Whole Truth Shall Which Scanned Beach and the Coastal Waters Sunday and Yesterday.

One of the Lifeboats Picked Up By Steamer Albion Had the Plug Hole Open And Was Shown to Have Filled But Had Not Capsized.



ROUTE FOLLOWED BY STEAMER IROQUOIS FRIDAY NIGHT.

Iroquois left Sidney, 6:05 p.m. Saw ship's lights (going north) Reached Cattle Point about

Island and put about on return

Clallam picked up Smith's Island by the Holyoke about 9:30 p.m.

Had Clallam displayed signals

Integer and selection in the sides firmly and ner lenched teeth are evident of the grim lespair that filled her. She had lenched her teeth so firmly that her ower lip had been pierced. The position of this body, together with the fact the iron rowlocks, neither of which

Mr. John Douglas, the alderon Friday afternoon. Shortly afwhen the fires were put out from the inrushing seas. Mr. Douglas

tail bag and a lady's colar were 1910; the bottom of the boat, showed plan-that it did not capsize. When found the Afbion it was filled with water, was turned over to the provincial po-e, who have placed it in the care of pt. Dan Macintosh, the well-known

It was turned over to the provincial police, who have placed it in the care of
Capt. Dan Macintosh, the well-known
boatman.

Speaking of the condition of this boat,
'Capt. Macintosh said: "The boat could
never have capsized. The cap had not
been serewed over the plug hole. The
cap was lying in the bottom of the boat
some distance from the hole, It was
lying in a circle of dust which goes to
show that it must have been there for
some considerable time. There was noline on it. There were two loose rowlocks lying in the bottom of the boat.
There was no line on these and they
could never have remained there is that
boat had capsized. There was one rowlock in the chock."

Since the digaster survivors have tole

She Been Notified Earlier ould Have Saved Challam.

e Iroquois' efforts to find the Clallam, said : "The Iroquois did news, and in less than five minutes after receiving the message we were under way. Had we received word when we first oro'clock, I could have been in sight o clock, I could have been in signification of the disabled steamer before dark. We left Sidney at 6 p.m. and ran down the San Juan Island shore, as the information I received was that the Clallam ran in that direction about two miles beyond Cattle Point, then Island. As we worked off shore and seas running very heavy, breaking over the decks of the Iroquois and the spray going over the top of the pilot house. time and not seeing any lights or distress signals from the disabled steamer, I concluded she must have got under way, been picked up by some of the tugs and towed to safety-but we must have passed her."

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Since the disaster survivors have told of how the Clallam started to make twater when not more than four miles from the United States shore, after leaving Port Townsend. It seems, the survivors say, as if the vessel had been mable to withstand the seas and practically strained herself to pieces. The water came in from everywhere. The straining broke the dealights, or rather the fixed ports, for properly speaking,

the deadlights are the coverings of these. A deadlight is a circular disc of iron with hinges on the upper part where the lifeboat had been picked up. fixed to the ship's side, which fit over the lifeboat had been picked up the remains of Miss Galletly, which were circled

LAST TO LEAVE William King, Who Left Her Last,

William King, the man who helped the deek boy cut the life raft from the sinking Clallam, on which the majority of the survivors escaped, was the last

of the survivors escaped, was the last main to leave the ill-fated vessel, and after battling fifty feet through the tumbling seas reached the frail craft and joined the men whose lives he had helped to save.

King was with his sister, Mrs. Carrie La Plante, her daughter Verna and her husband, William La Plante, Peter La Plante, brother of William La Plante, brother of William La Tlante; Thomas L. Sullins, Mrs. Thomas L. Sullins, their children, Leonard Sullins, Louis Sullins and Violet

Mr. Herbert Taylor, the well-known vocalist, saw the ill-fated Clallam beyond Clover Point on Friday afternoon, Looking through a good marine glass, Mr. Taylor says he saw absolutely no signals of distress made. 

Sullins; John Sweeney and Eugene Hicks. All were bound for Mount Sicker, where Thomas Sullins has ming interests. Of this party King, William La Plante, Thomas Sullins and Sweeney are all that survive. Miller was not on board the Challam, intending to leave later.

In telling the story of his escape King said:

In telling the story of his escape King said:

'Never as long as I live shall I forget the indescribable horror of the moments which followed the launching of the lifeboats filled with women and children. The crying of the women and children, the shouting of the officers giving orders, the calling of farewell to loved ones left behind and the waves dashing around the fated vessel. Just as the second bont, was about to push off I saw a man leap from the hurricane deck fifteen feet down among the women crouching in the bottom of the lifeboat. Others, crazed with fear, were wringing their hands and crying for help. While a few of the passengers were calm during the time the lifeboats were being dut off, by far the greater majority were wild with fear.

"When the order was given for the women and children to go first, I saw one woman throw her arms around her husband and refuse to leave the ship lywithout him. At first they would not let him go, but rather than have her stay aboard the vessel he was permitted.

(Continued on Page Eight.)

### **Czar Drafts** A Circular

Rewrites Terms Refused By Japan For Submission to

Be Given to the Public.

Report Black Sea Fleet May Ask Permission to Pass the Dardanelles.

Berlin, Jan. 11.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Lokal Anzeiger gives a much more serious view of the Far Eastern situation than has hitherto emanated from that capital.

The correspondent says those in official circles entertain a greater concern than they have hitherto allowed to become known. He says that the utterances of the press have been optimistically colored to conceal official disquiet. Recently Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister; General Kuropatkin, the cally colored to conceal official disquiet. Recently Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister; General Kuropatkin, the minister of war, and M. Avasa, chairman of the committee on East Asiatic affairs, assembled to draw up a communication, which will soon be published in the government messenger. This communication will give the story of the negotiations with Japan, including the latest developments. The correspondent says: "The Czar wishes, as he told Count Lamsdorff, that the whole truth shall be given to the public. He is personally against war and refuses to believe that it will come. He hopes to convince Japan that Russia's wishes

"Trist-Japan will get various concessions in Korea.
"Second-In south Korea Japan can act only in their economic interests, but they can adopt strategic measures corresponding with those interests.
"Third-Russia allows Japan all commercial freedom of action in north Korea, but Japan must not permanently occupy fortified towns, either to the north or south, and neither on the coast nor in the interior.

The Japanese government is alarmed at the report that the Russian Black Sea fleet intends to pass through the Dardanelles. At the request of the Tokio authorities, Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister to Great Britain, has made enquiries on the subject here, but the British Foreign Office has not heard that Russia has asked Turkey's permission, and is not inclined to think Russia will raise such a question in Europe at present.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 11.—Public opinion is today marking time with an inclination toward optimism on account of the more reserved attitude of England and especially over the orders given to Rear-Admiral Evans of the United Rear-Admiral Evans of the United States may, to keep away entirely from Japanese waters. But what inclines it toward pessimism is the extraordinary activity of the Japanese again in buy-ing war material in hot haste, capped by the rumored purchase of the Cramp the rumored purchase of the built Turkish cruiser Medjedie.

### GENERAL EGERTON SMASHES MULLAH

Engages Dervishes' Main Force and Kills One Thousand in Pursuit.

London, Jan. 11.—The War Office to-night gave out the following despatch which had been received from Major-General Egerton, commanding the Somaliland expeditionary forces, and which is dated from Jidballi. Somali-land, January 11: "Advanced this morn-ing twelve suiles to Jidballi. First bri-gade, commanded by Manning; se-trigade under Faskin, and mounte troops under Kenna. Total strength of the regulars, 2,200, and irregulars, 10, 000. Jidhalli was held by 50,000 Der-vishes. The mounted troops enveloped the enemy's right, and the infantry arthe regulars, 2,200, and irregulars, 10,1000. Jidballi was held by 50,000 Dervishes. The mounted troops enveloped the enemy's right and the infantry arrived within seven hundred yards of his position. The Dervishes advanced, but were unable to face the frontal fire, coupled with the flank attack. The enemy broke and fled, and were pursued ten miles. The Dervishes killed are estimated at 1,000, mostly in the pursuit. Many prisoners and 400 riles were taken. I regret to report that two officers of the regulars were killed and nine efficers injured, and five of the rank and the wounded. Of the native troops seven were killed and sixteen woulded. Of the irregulars two are dead and two wounded. Am inclined to think this is the Mullah's main force. The Mullah himself was not present, but was expected at Jidballi today."

Major-General Egerton's force is eamped tenight two miles beyond Jidballi.

Enough Evidence to Warrant Prosecution.

Helpless and Press Damage Suits.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Unlimited funds are aiding in prosecuting the persons responsible for the Iroquois fire. Arthur Et. Hull stated the offer had been made by a firm with a financial backing of more than a million dollars. A common bermanent organization has decided upon the following recommendations:

1. If oestablish a memorial to commendate the names of the victims of libe fire.

the fire.
1 2. To render assistance to those made destitute through the loss of relatives

2. To render assistance to those many destitute through the loss of relatives in the fire.

3. To devise methods to prevent similar occurrences.

4. To assist in and compel the enforcement of ordinances and statutes to safeguard life in public assemblages. It was decided to appoint a committee to gid the coroner in his investigations.

"We are now ready to make a searching investigation to find out who was responsible for the Iroquois fire. We have cleared away the brushwood and are prepared to get down to facts. We will spare no one for we are determined to fix the guilt." With this statement Goroner Traeger began the second week of the Iroquois theatre fire inquest today.

For a few days the coroner will be

responsible for the froquois fire. We have cleared away the brisphood and have cleared away the brisphood and have cleared away the brisphood and have cleared away the brisphood of the first second the hard of a treaty between dapan and hard of a treaty between the part of fixed by the part of the part of

Tweed, Ont., Jan. 11.—James Rush, a cattle buyer, returned from selling a carload of cattle in Montreal this morning and while walking home from the station was knocked down and robbed of \$200 and a gold watch. He is badly wounded about the head. There is no clue to the perpetrators.

MELTON PRIOR IN N. Y.

New York, Jan. 11.—The steamer Umbria arrived today from Liverpool and Queenstown, showing the effects of her encounter with the westeriy gales and heavy seas. The forward bulknead her encounter with the westerly gaze-jand heavy seas. The forward bulkinear under the bridge was stove in and nat-been repaired with canvas and battens Among the passengers were Meltor Perror, artist for the London flustrates News, who is on his way to Japan.

INTERESTED IN CANADA.

London Librarians Seek Information Concerning Canadian Journals.

Concerning Canadian Journals, and the company of the company of the play was capital, selected the livelest interest and satisfact of the staging of the play was capital, selecting from ibrarians of public libraries in London enquiring how Canaglan mewspapers may be supplied these instraints.

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A VERY GOOD RULE.

It is well known that the majority of memory of the well known that the majority of memory of the well as the bowe is a rule to see that the bowels move cace every day. If you are subject to constitution on the liver ensures a regular flow of bile, nature's own catharite and so remove the cause of serious disease.

WILLIAM BROWN, COACHMAN.

Discarded Husband of Countess Russel wards, who is under any of the in Jail at Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. II.—Archibald Edwards, who is under arrest on a charge of vagrancy, and who, it is alleged, has been doing up the hotels of the country and such people as he was able to borrow money of, has finally confessed that he is William Brown, the concimination is William Brown, the concimination of a thousand pounds her annum, of any of a chouse of the country and such people as he was able to borrow money of, has finally confessed that he is William Brown, the concimination of the Countess Russel under the America Countess asking that a copy of the agreement to this effect, and his attorney has written the atsorneys of the Countess asking that a copy of the agreement to this effect, and his attorney has written the atsorneys of the Countess asking that a copy of the agreement to this effect, and his attorney has written be atsorneys of the Countess asking that a copy of the agreement to this effect, and his attorney has written be

Rake Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets, All acted by companies capable of doing druggists refund the money if it fails to them justice, as Miss Wainwright's uncure. E. W. Grove's signature to on each doubtedly is.

### Unless Russia Caused Horror Recedes War Starts

Iroquois Jury Has Secured Japan Notifies China of Unsat-Isfactory Reply From St. Petersburg.

> to Remain Neutral and Protect Foreigners.

London, Jan. 12.—The Times' Pekin correspondent, cabling under yesterday's date, says that the Chinese minister at Tokio, at the request of the Japan-ces Poreign Office, telegraphed the following communication to Prince Ching. "The second Russian reply to the Japanese Proposals has been received at Tokio, but it is unfavorable and cannot be tecepted by Japan, who will, unless Russia recedes, be compelled to promptly resort to arms. In view of such an avertuality, Japan expects and urges China to maintain the strictest neutrality, maintain order throughout the empire, to guard the foreigners resident in the territory of Shantung and Yun Nan lest foreign powers seize the pretext of disorder and make aggressive movements therein."

The correspondent says that the despatch has deeply impressed the Chinese, who now believe war to be inevitable. He says that notes looking to the ratification of a treaty between Japan and China were exchanged yesterday afternoon.

The Daily Mail's Tokio correspondent, cabling yesterday, says that Baron De Rosen, the Russian minister, sent a report Saturday to Foreign Minister Ko-

# TWELFTH NIGHT

Shakespear'es Immortal Comedy Given By Miss Wainwright's Company.

Miss Marie Wainwright, a clever American actress, supported by an excellent company, played Shakespeare's delightful comedy, "lweifth Night," at the Victoria Opera House last evening. The audience, which filled the theatre very confortably, was distinctly of the intellectual order, and throughout the charming scenes of the lovely and immortal comedy, the audience evinced the liveliest interest and satisfaction.

# E. & J. BURKE'S THREE STAR

Softmellow Flavored Whiskey produced by age and also by quality

### Civic Candidates **Duly Nominated**

Returning Officer Northcott Named Starters In Municipai Contests.

Syndicate Formed to Assist Pekin Government Requested A Dark Horse Put in His Appearance For North Ward Alderman.

The proceedings at the city hall yesterday afternoon when Returning Officer Northcote, promptly at 2 o'clock, declared the nominations for the municipal election, which occurs on Thursday next, closed, were of the tamest possible character, there being outside of a number of the interested canracters, not more than two or three spectators. The announcement was received practically in silence and contrary to old-time custom no adjournment was made to the council chamber to listen to speeches. The one feature of the proceedings outside of routine interest was the appearance of a dark horse for aldermatic honors in North Ward, ex-Aid, R. T. Williams. Though entering the field only at the last moment, Mr. Williams friends think he will put up a strong light and prove a winner.

The nominations were as follows:

TH NIGHT

WELL PLAYED

ar'es Immortal Company.

Walnurslett, a glever Amerl.

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Goodacre.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Edward A. Lewis, qualiter; proposer, Jas. Forman; seconder, Arthur Lee.
(Roht, Mowat, merchant; proposer, Ed. G. McQuade; seconder, J. D. McWiven, M. P. P.

Peter John Riddell, superintendent of Spragge, oil merchant; proposer, Javid Spragge, oil merchant; proposer, Hon. W. Templeman; seconder, Chas. Hayward, John W. Bolden, carpenter; proposer, John Y. Jones; seconder, A. Johnson, Margare, Jenkins, 45 Queen's avenue; proposer. Win. H. Bone; seconder, L. Goodacre, L. Goodacre, L. Goodacre, M. H. Bone; seconder, L. Goodacre, M. H. Bone; seconder, L. Goodacre, M. H. Bone; seconder, L. Goodacre, J. Spragge, oil merchant; proposer, John W. Bolden, carpenter; proposer, John W. Bolden, Carpenter, proposer, John W. Bolden, propos

Carne, jr.
Robt. Erskine, merchant; proposer, C.
Hlayward; seconder, James Patterson.
Beaumont Boggs. broker; proposer,
T. Shotboit; seconder, C. A. Holland.
George J. Cook, contractor; proposer,
J. W. Keller; seconder, Richard Drake.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Luca County—ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he isenfor partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo. County and State aforesaid, and that said irm will pay the sum of One Hundred Joulars for each and every case of Catarth.

hat cannot be cured by the use of Hall' Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed h
my presence, this 6th day of December
A. D. 1886.

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A. W. GLEASON,
[Seal.]

Notary Public,
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally,
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Self, by all Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Cifebuoy Soap-disinfectant-is strongly recommended by the medical profession as eafeguard against infectious diseases.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, the distinguished woman suffragist, social reformer and lecturer, recently observed her Sird birtiday at her nome in Meirose, Mass. One feature of the celebration was the wedding of her private secretary, Miss Adelaide Johns Witherington, to C. Wellam Boynton.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures radically—that is, it removes the roots of disease That's better than lopping the branches.

A public meeting will be held in the City Hall on Wednesday evening next, the 13th inst., for the purpose of affording the candidates for municipal honors at the coming election an opportunity of expressing their views on municipal matters.

The Chair will be taken promptly at 8 o'clock.

A. C. McCANDLESS.

Mayor Victoria, B. C., January 11, 1904,

day, January 13th, at Christ Church Cathedral, at 3:15 p. m. The procession will leave 76 Cook street, at 3.p. m.,

32 Belleville street.

Friends will please accept this inti-

FUNERAL NOTICE

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Victoria Eeric No. 12, Frater and Order of Engles, are requested to meet it Engles' Hall, Adelphi Block, Wednesday, 2 p. m., for the purpose of attending the uneral of our late brother, Geo. Hudson, By order.

The Arctic Trading Co.,

General Traders, Groceries and Provisions, Wholesale and Retail.

WHITE HORSE

Has removed from the Pritchard House to 64 Yates Street, and

Will Reopen On

WEDNESDAY,

January 13th

I beg to announce that I am a candidat for the office of Mayor for the ensuing year, and respectfully solicit your votes

The Mayoralty

I beg to announce that I will be a candi

of Mayor for the ensuing year, and respect fully solicit your votes and influence

FOR ALDERMEN

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN

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TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTH WARD,

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WARD. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

In response to a numerously signed requisition 1 beg to announce myself as a candidate for Alderman for the above ward, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTH WARD.

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AADJES AND GENTLEMEN:
At the solicitation of a large number of
ratepayers I have decided to present myself again this year as a candidate for
Alderman for North Ward, and respectfully
ask your support and influence.

LORE INSPIRALE

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTH

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

J. L. Beckwith.

R. T. WILLIAMS.

ROBT. D'INSDALE.

G. H. BARNARD

CHAS. E. REDFERN

and influence at the coming election.

Ladies and Gentlemen :

FRANK LEROY, W. Secretary.

W. O. WALLACE, District Sec'y.

JOS. WACHTER. W. President.

COLE

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTH

THOMPSON—On January Oth, Captain Livingston Thompson, of Kilguade House, Newtown, Mount Kennedy, Co. Wicklow, Ireland, late of the 11th (Prince Albert's Own) Hussars, who met his death in helping others in the wreck of the Clallam.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday January and a Christ Clause.

At the request of a representative deputation of the electors, I am a candidate for the Aldermanie Board, and respectfully solicit your votes and Influence. W. F. FULLERTON.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN : I beg to announce myself as a candidate for Alderman for North Ward, and respect-fully solicit your vote and induced at the coming election.

JOHN KINSMA

TO THE ELECTORS OF CENTRAL

"Sleep on, dear one, and take your rest in calm and honest sleep, For all who knew thee know thou hadst a thousand thousand friends, And not one single foe." LADIES AND GENTLEMEN : I beg to announce that I will be a candidate for Alderman for above Ward, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. A. STEWART. Cor. Yates and Blanchard streets.

DIPROSE—Drowned in wreck of the S. S. Challam, on January 8th, Ethei Diprost of Strathroy, Ont., aged 22 years.
Funeral will take place from residence of TO THE ELECTORS OF CENTRAL WARD. her brother-in-law, W. L. Challoner, 275 Fort street, at 11 a. m., on Tuesday, 12th LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: I beg to announce myself as a candidate for the Central Ward and respectfully re-quest your vote and influence at the com-ing election. Friends will please accept this intimation.

H. E. LEVY.

JOHNSON—Drowned by the foundering of the S. S. Challam, on the 9th Instant, Chas. F. Johnson, a native of New Jersey, aged 66 years. The funeral will take place on Tuesday, TO THE ELECTORS OF CENTRAL WARD. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN : January 12th, at 2:30 p. m., from the resilence of the Hon. Chief Justice Hunter

At the request of a large number of voters, I have decided to again become a condidate for election, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

LAWRENCE GOODACRE.

TO THE ELECTORS OF CENTRAL WARD.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

All members of Orange Association are requested to meet at A. O. U. W. Hall, Yates street, at 2 p. m. Wednesday after-noon, for the purpose of attending the fueral of Worshipful Brother Captain Thompson, District Master. I beg to announce myself as a candidate for Alderman at the forthcoming election, and respectfully solicit your vote and in-duence.

WM. HUMPHREY

103 Cadboro Bay Road.

TO THE ELECTORS OF CENTRAL WARD,

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I beg to announce that I will be a candi-late for Alderman for the above Ward, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. Yours respectfully, JOHN P. ELFORD, 30 Cadboro Bay Road.

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOUTH WARD.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: Wholesale and Retail.

We have Increased our stock of Grocerles and Provisions, to enable us to meet the growing demands of the outlitting trade of the coming senson. In addition to this we carry a complete stock of Sleds, Stoves and Tents, Call and examine our goods when you come to

At the solicitation of a number of Elec-tors I announce myself as a candidate for the South Ward, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

WM. PROUT.

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOUTH WARD. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Opposite the B. Y. N. Freight Sheds, Front Street. CAPT. P. MARTIN, Manager. I beg to announce myself as a candidate for Alderman at the forthcoming election, and respectfully solicit your vote and in-fluence.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION

SOUTH WARD. TO THE ELECTORS :

At the request of a number of the Rate-payers, I have decided to stand for the above Ward, and respectfully request your support. THORNTON FELL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOUTH WARD.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN : Mr. Cole will be glad to see all his old friends at his new stand. I beg to announce that I will be a candidate at the coming election for the office of Alderman for the ensuing year, and respectfully solicit your votes and influence at the coming election. The Mayoralty

JAMES A. DOUGLAS.

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOUTH WARD.

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or Alderman at the forthcoming election,
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TO THE ELECTORS OF SOUTH WARD.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA.

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1 beg to announce myself as a candidate
for re-election to the office of School Trustee, and respessefully solicit your votes and
influence.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I beg to announce that I shall seek re-election as a School Trustee. BEAUMONT BOGGS. TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN : I am a candidate for election as School

At the request of a large number ratepayers I beg to offer myself for election as one of your representatives the Aldermante Board at the forthcom Municipal Election, and respectfully licit your vote and influence. fully solicited.

Your vote and influence respect EDWARD A. LEWIS. H. M. GRAHAME TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

Having been requested by a large number of the voters of this city to offer myself as a candidate for School Trustee in the fortheoning election, I respectfully request your vote and influence.

GEORGE J. COOK. I beg to announce myself as a candidate for Alderman for the North Ward at the forthcoming election, and respectfully ask your vote and influence. R. D. F!NLAYSON. Victoria, January 4th, 1994.

To the Electors

I beg to announce myself as a candidate for School Trustee, and most respectfully request your vote and influence. Robt. Mowat

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA

I am a candidate for School Trustee at the forthcoming election on 14th inst., and respectfully ask for your vote and influ-ROBERT ERSKINE. TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA.

part of deputations composed of residents of North Ward, I offer myself as a candidate for municipal honors in the above Ward. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: I beg to announce myself as a candidate for School Trustee at the forthcoming election, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

J. W. BOLDEN TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I beg to announce myself as a candidate for School Trustee at the forthcoming elec-tions, and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. W. McKAY.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA At the solicitation of a large number of electors, I have decided to offer myself as a candidate for School Trustee in the approaching municipal election, and respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

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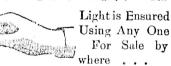
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SPORTING NEWS.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

### BASKETBALL

### Local News.

ter Hive, Ladies of the Maccabees, be held at the A. O. U. W. hall (Tuesday) evening.

Regimental Meeting.—There will be a meeting of No. 1 Company Association after drill on Tuesday evening, 12th inst. This meeting is of importance and every member will be expected to attend.

Hydrographic News.—The intest chart of Smith sound, just published by the tidmicarty, with Cryt. Walbran's new survey of Smith injet on it, has been treceived by the flagship for distribution to the fleet. All the rocks lately found by Capt. Perry of H. M. S. Ezeria in Omeon Charlotte sound are also shown on this chart.

Ship to Crofton.—The Richard III., the latest of the Mount Sicker mines to become a shipper, will begin this week to send ore to the Crofton smelter. The mine is at the top of Mount Sicker, just above the Tyee. The company interested have persevered with creditable enterprise until the ore body was met. This has been accomplished and they have a splendid hody in sight. It is to be delivered to the Crofton smelter at the dump in quantities of 50 tons and upwards a day. A good wason road exists from the property to the Lenora through the Tyee property. For the present, Mesers, Breen and Bellinger will transport it by wagon from the pit head to their transway line, which is only a short distance.

is only a short distance.

1 Eagles Ball.—Owing to St. Valentine's eve the usual date of the Eagles mask ball, failing this year on a Saterday, the committee have decided upon Myednesday night. February 10th, as the night on which they will have their bit was a the weak of the weak of the large of the might on which they will have their bit was a the weak of the weak of the might of the middle and as each year they have been favored with an increased attendance the committee have decided to make it better and grander than ever before. Noted as the most generous of prize givers they intend to maintain their superiority over all comers in that respect, and to that end are preparing a prize list whene even they never before excelled. As the Eagles do not wish to profit dinancially they will spare no excense in providing an extraordinary fine supper and the very best of music will be obtained. Tickets will be sold at the usual low price of \$1. A currily of fun is assured on the night of February 10th as the Assembly rooms. The following are the committee in charge: A. W. Von Rhein, chairman; Frank LeRoy, secretary; M. O'Keefe, treasurer; Joseph Wachter, F. V. Robertson, W. E. Wheeler, Thos, F. Gold and G. B. Howard.

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### Proceedings in The Will Case

Cross..Examination of Hon. C. E. Pooley K. C. Not Yet Completed.

Mr. G. Gillespie and Capt. Josh Freeman Both Testified Yesterday.

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ears previous to the amalgamation. P fously was manager of the Victo ranch. Knew Alexander Dunsmuir ; bout 12 years. Had an interview wi im in February, 1899, at San Francis dexander Dunsmuir sent for witness onnection with some business of ; ephew, James Harvey. Witness was

a fairly strong man.

E. P. Davis, K. C., objected to a statement made by Mr. Duff to the witness.

His Lordship sustained the objection stating that counsel must ask questions and not make statements.

Witness had been with Alexander Dunsmir when he had taken teo much liquor, but did not know he had permanently in Jured his health. His Lordship told Mr. Duff not to Interrupt the witness in his answers.

Duff not to Interrupt the witness in his answers.

Witness knew the dates of his visits and conversations with Alexander Dunsmuir from his log-hook, produced. Witness, on referring to his log-hook, wished to change the date of the conversation he had said was in February, to March, 1820.

Witness, Alexander Dunsmuir, Mrs Wallace, Mrs. Agnew, witness' nephew, went to San Leandro to choose site for house. After this Alexander Dunsmuir was ill and vomited very badly and Mrs. Agnew ared Mrs. Wallace examined what passed to see if there were any signs of blood. Witness thought he stayed all night.

Witness only remembered seeing James Dunsmuir during December at San Francisco in the year 1890.

Witness would not actually state whether Mrs. Wallace or Alexander Dunsmuir told him of the will and the provision for Mrs. Wallace, which was not contained in the witness any Mrs. Alexander Dunsmuir

Witness saw Mrs. Alexander Dunsmulr September, 1960; saw her again the une mouth at San Leandro. Saw her see more after that but could not say

when.
At the Interview with Mrs. Dunsmuir, July, 1500, she did not mention the division of profits to witness.
Sir Charies Hibbort Tupper, K. C., asked defendants' counsel to have Mr. Pooley's day books of 1896, 1895, the assignment of the E. & N. shares, and the cheques for \$22,000 ready for the cross-examination this morning. The court then adjourned to 10:30 this

A recent letter from Abysshia describes
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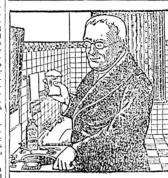
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### THE LEGISLATURE.

"Dull even to monotony," was the opinion probably expressed by the strangers in the gallery at yesterday's proceedings in the Legislature. But the dulness did not prevent business proceeding in a satisfactory manner, and it is a good sign of the temper of the present House that it settled down to its work without any preliminary prancing on reassemwas gone through and adjournment was only taken when there was nothing more before the House. One not unimportant Act. By this amendment eight hours from bank to bank is to be the limit of a day's work in coal mines in British Columbia after June, 1905. It is signifi-cant that this bill has passed through the successive stages in the House with practically no opposition. A few years tainly have been the cause of an acri-

A number of other bills were advanced a stage. Today is the last day for receiving petitions for Private Bills, and the list of these so far is very small, and not much time will be required for this class of legislation. The Minister of Finance yesterday moved the first of the resolutions preliminary to the bring-ing down of the estimates, and under the ordinary routine there should be nothing to prevent the Budget speech being delivered on Monday or Tuesday

SONGHEES INDIAN RE-

has been pressed on the Indians, and that the Agent has also co-operated in the endeavor. Of course, as their guardian and one to whom they look for advice, that official is bound to see that in any arrangement the interests of the tribe are safeguarded. This, indeed, would be the case if they were deed, would be the case if they were removed to another reserve, as in every respect their condition would be bene-fited and improved by the change. While the assent of the Indians themselves is now apparently all that is necessary to carry out the arrangement -the details between the Dominion and Provincial Governments being settledthe Minister hinted in his reply that there were other difficulties in the way, but that he hoped these would be over-come before the close of the present year. Should the Indians remain obdurate and not amenable to reason, it is probable that a recommendation will be made to the Dominion Government that special legislation should be passed enabling the Indian Department to deal with the matter. There can be no question that the moral and material interests of the Indians will be improved by their transfer to a more suitable location. The interests of Victoria also demand some consideration, and previously existing have been got rid of, it is not unreasonable that those interests should have some

### PROVINCIAL CLAIMS AGAIN IGNORED.

We see that newspapers in Eastern Canada are stating that in a few days the appointment of the Hon. Henry R. Emmerson, of New Brunswick, as Minister of Railways and Canals, will be announced. It is said that Mr. Emmerson has been already privately notified of this. It is, of course, quite easy of comprehension that Sir Wilfrid Laurier should desire to strengthen his position in New Brunswick—a position that was undoubtedly much weakened by Mr. Blair's retirement from the Cabinet, and still more by the explanation which he made in the House of Commons as to the reasons that had impelled him to take that step. Accentuated as that explanation was by the action of Mr. Blair in voluntarily resigning a Cabinet seat with its emoulments, and all the power and patronage attached to the portfolio of Railways and Canals, the Minister's impendment of his coileagues, his condemnation of their railway policy and their disregard of the real interests of the country in the course they proposed, made a profound impression throughout Canada, and, not least of all, in that Province where Mr. Blair had been, and still was, a tower of strength to the Liberal party and the Laurier administration. It is true that Mr. Blair's later acceptance of a very lucrative office from the same Premier whose action he had so severely criticized, has not increased the belief that had been felt in New Brunswick as to his entire singleness of purpose in the course he had, followed in respect to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway scheme. But while his later action may have somewhat diminished the sentiment toward Mr. Blair in his own Province, it will not have obliterated the recollection of the recollection of the recollection of the recollection of the respect to the Grand Mr. Blair in his own Province, it will not have obliterated the recollection of the recollection of the respect to the Grand Mr. Blair in his own Province, it will not have obliterated the recollection of the respect to the Grand Mr. Blair in his own Province, it will not have obliterated the recollection of the respect to the Grand Mr. Blair in his own Province, it will not have obliterated the recollection of the respect of the respect of the real condemnation of the respect of the real interests and the wild wave from the remember that, how she put in the relicument has been defined by hoth governments in the should desire to strengthen his position in New Brunswick—a position that was undoubtedly much weakened by Mr.

his scathing rebuke of the course that the Government took in regard to the Grand Trunk Pacific enterprise. It is, therefore, not surprising that before daunching the Liberal barque on the tempestuous seas of a general election, Sir Wilfrid Laurier should desire to con-ciliate public opinion by again entrusting the important portfolio of Railways and Canals to the care of a politician from New Brunswick.

But why should another portfolio be

given to New Brunswick and British Columbia still be without any? That is the question that the electors of this Province will ask on hearing of the probable appointment of Mr. Emmerson. It will be difficult for Sir Wilfrid Laurier to answer that question in a manner that will be satisfactory to the people on the Pacific Coast. For years we had asked for representation in the Cabinet. Wearied by our importunity, the Conservative administration of Sir Mac-kenzie Bowell at last yielded to our dekenzie Bowell at last yielded to our demands and Mr. Prior was given charge of a department. Then the Liberals acceded to office and for a time British Columbia did not get even a smell of Cabinet victuals. Ultimately the promise that our reasonable request should be granted was kept in form but not in substance. Senator Templeman was taken into the Cabinet without a portfolio—that is, a mere titular dignity was conferred upon him, without either emoluments or a position in which he had the dispensation of place and patronage. Since then an outsider has been taken into the Cabinet and given charge of an important department—one indeed that should for many reasons be presided over by a representative from British Columbia. Now it seems the claims of this Province are again to be ignored and its legitimate demands disregarded in order that another Cabinet position may be found for a member from New mands and Mr. Prior was given charge of a department. Then the Liberals acceded to office and for a time British out any preliminary prairies of the sit-bling after the recess. Although the sit-ting was not very long, the Order paper that should for many reasons be prebefore the House. One not ununportant measure was put through committee—the bill to amend the Coal Mines Regulation Act. By this amendment eight hours from bank to bank is to be the limit of Bruiswick. Will Sir Wilfrid Laurier Bruiswick. practically no opposition. A few years of every British Columbian, whatever ago such a measure would almost certainly have been the cause of an acrically no opposition. A few years of every British Columbian, whatever his political bias, on hearing any doubt cast on Senator Templeman's ability in monious debate, of many counter-amendments and of a number of divisions in the course of its progress through the House.

The answer made yesterday in the Legislature to Mr. Cameron by the Premier seems to show that the Government has done all that is at present possible to secure the removal of the Indians from this reserve. Now it appears to rest with the Indians themselves whether, and if so, when, the change in their abode, so earnestly desired by the people of Victoria, shall take place. From the Minister's statement it seems that all that can be urged has been pressed on the Indians, and that the Agent has also co-operated in the Clallam were supplied by the elec-tric plant aboard the steamer, and consequently as soon as the motive power to run the dynamos was wanting, the lights went out and nothing but common deck lanterns were at hand for use. These, of course, could not be kept lighted in the high wind, hence it was that the unfortunates who remained on the wreck were not rescued two hours sooner than they were. The map which the Colonist prints on the first page this morning affords an explanation of the relative positions of the vessels during that dreadful night.

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Sir,—Could you inform me who is so licitor for Victoria Terminal railway ( Kindly reply through your valuable col-

ANON.
[No doubt the company will inform or orrespondent.—Ed.]

ALDERMANIC QUALIFICATIONS. Sir.—Is it necessary for a candidate for aldermanic honors to be a British subject? If so, does he have to show his papers? Kindly reply through your valuable col-mms.

8 Carr St., Jan. 6, 1994. [Full particulars are given as to aldermante qualifications in the returning officer's notice to the public which appears in this issue,—Ed.]

COAST GUARDS.

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Sir,—In view of the fact that lives are ontinually being lost at sea in the vicinity of Victoria and Brotchie Ledge, would not coast guard or lookout station on the eight of land near Bencon Hill, with possibly a lifeboat in connection, be of great se. Shipping men might also benefit by aving their vessels reported and some vees, no doubt, be saved. At any rate, I nelose a dollar for the start of something of that sort.

HENRY C. MARSH. 104 Dallas Road, Victoria, B. C.

### STEAMBOAT INSPECTION.

### Press Opinions of the Wreck

The official inquiry into the disaster will doubtless bring all the facts connected with it to light. As far as appears at present the officers and crew of the doomed vessel did their duty and there were none of those scenes of lack of discipline, disorder and disregard of the women and children on board that have added to the horror of the situation in the case of other marine disasters. While we have not yet a detailed account of all the circumstances of the foundering of the Clallam there may be some who may be inclined to ask whether in the steamers navigating local waters the effort to make the passenger accommodation as attractive and convenient as possible may not impair the vessel's seaworthiness when they encounter unusually heavy weather? This is a matter that, in the public interests, should receive some attention from the proper authorities.

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and its legitimate demands disegrated in order that another Cabinet position may be found for a member from New Brunswick. Will Sir Wilfrid Laurier venture to assert that Senator Temples and could not take charge of the department as successfully as Mr. Emmerson? "Preposterous!" would be the exclamation of every British Columbian, whatever his political bias, on hearing any doubt cast on Senator Templeman's ability in such a comparison. But if Senator Templeman's ability in such a comparison. But if Senator Templeman is too modest to press his own claims to recognition, or prefers the Premier's political convenience to the interests of British Columbia, the people do not agree with him, and in this persistent denial of our legitimate demands they can but see another ground for a change in our rulers.

THE CLALLAM WRECK.

The particulars of the foundering of the Clallam in the Straits on Friday incapable of performing the service between the Sound ports and Victoria has been proved beyond a peradventure. Not only was she not seaworthy in such a moderate gale as prevailed at the time, but evidence is not wanting that she had absolutely no facilities for, showing the service of the and absolutely no facilities for, showing the service of the and absolutely no facilities for, showing the service of the stad absolutely no facilities for, showing the service of the stad absolutely no facilities for, showing the service of the stad absolutely no facilities for, showing the service of the stad absolutely no facilities for, showing the service of the steamer Clallam with her precious the country of the second of the count

Break, break, break, On thy cold gray stones, O Sea! And I would that my tongue could utter The thoughts that arise in mc.

O well for the fisherman's boy,
That he shouts with his sister
at play!
O well for the sallor lad,
That he sings in his boat on the
bay!

And the stately ships go on To their haven under the hill: But O for the touch of a vanish'd hand, And the sound of a voice that is still!

Break, break,
At the foot of thy erags, O Sea!
But the tender grace of a day that
is dead
Will never come back to me,
—Tennyson.

### PROVINCIAL PRESS.

mines was steadily increasing. The mines at Michel now turn out 1,400 tons of coal a day, and each month sees a still greater output. At Morrissey there has been considerable delay in operations during the past fortught owing to a big modside which blocked the line, and which is still giving trouble. All but forty of the 220 coke ovens at the Morrissey mines are now milished and as soon as these are completed the work of turning out coke will be commenced there. At Michel about 100 of the new lat of ovens are ready, with about 60 more to complete.—Fort Steele Prospector.

In the case of the Centre Star Mining Company vs. the Rossland Miners' Union, Judge Forn's order changing the trial from Victoria to Nelson has been reversed by the full court, so that the trial will prob-ably be held at Victoria,—Rossland Miner.

The five bars of gold which were on exhibition in the window of the Canada Drug & Book Ce, on Thursday attracted a great deal of attention. The bars were the result of the run for the month of December at the Eva min. The value was in the meightourhood of \$11,000, and the weight about 52 pounds.—Neison Economist.

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W. B. Pool today gave out the return of the mill tests of ore from the Lucky Jack and Swede groups, owned by the Great Northern Mines, Ltd. The tests were made at the company's 10-stamp mill at Camborne and are highly gratifying to not only the shareholders directly interested, but to the whole camp generally. From the Lucky Jack as sample of about one and a half tons was taken from both the surface showings and underground workings. The sample was carefully selected, with a view to keeping out all coarse gold and nuggets, and the returns gave the ore a value of \$250 per ton on the plates. Mine tons went through the mill from the Swede group, the ore coming from what is considered by Superhiendent E. M. Morgan to be a fair sample of the big vein, and as in the case of the Lucky Jack, attention was paid to freeding it from visible gold. The returns in this case showed a saving of slighly over \$37 per ton.—Nelson Dally News.

"I am always glad to have you play! with Johnny Upohn, I le is a good little boy, and I know you won't get into miscitlef when you are with him. What were you playing, Tommy?" "Bandits, mamma. He was a murderer in a cave, and I was

cid, though."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Tess—I was passing that small florist's with Lord Britton yesterday, and I hinted that I would like to have some of the lovely roses that were displayed in the window. Jess—And did he send some to you? Tess—Yes; they came this morning C. O. D.—Philadelphia Press.

A new virus called "danysg" is made in France and is claimed to be harmless to domestic animals, but fatal to rats. Bread impregnated with it was scattered in docks, vessels, railway stations, and schools, in Marsellies, and over a thousand rats were destroyed in a single night. The final results of the experiments will be eagerly awaited.

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A GUARANTEED CURE FOR

January "Dont you think Miss Glinsworth exhibits great versatility?" asked Mrs. Old-castle. "Josiah thinks it's great, but I never cared much for poetry. I think them pictures she burns on wood are just spiendid, though."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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# The White Goods and Other January Sales

This week's new attractions are sales of Muslin Underwear, Embroideries, White Muslins, Linens, Sheetings, Men's White Shirts and Night Dresses.

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About 800 yards of Dress or Waist Muslins; regular price 30c., 35c., 40c., 45c. and 50c. January Sale, yard, 25c. In this lot are Fancy Stripe Piques, Figured Mercerized Muslins, Silk Finished Spot and Stripe Muslins, White Organdic Stripe and Spot Muslins, and open lace effects and large figures in Satin finished Muslins.

Ladies' Flannelette Night Dresses Colors Pink, Blue and White, Regular §1.00 and \$1.15 Today 75c Each.

### In the Men's Department

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For Men's White Dress Shirts, were For Men's White Dress Shirts, were \$1.00.

\$1.00 For Men's White Cotton Night Dresses, For White Cotton Night Dresses, were \$1.00.

For Men's Colored Shirts, were \$1.50.

65c

# New Suits at Sale Prices

Two Cases of Blue and Black Worsted Suits, single or double breasted, our regular \$15.00 quality, while this sale lasts \$9.75 suit.

\$3.75 for Men's \$7.50 Overcoats or \$6.75 for Men's \$10.00 and \$12.00 Coats \$9.75 for your choice of all the better

# Sale of Embroideries

January Prices: 2½c., 5c., 7c., 10c., 15c. and 25c., regular 5c. to 50c. a yard.

### Black Italian Silkene Underskirts

78 Bright Finish Skirts go on sale to-day. Values \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00. January Sale price, \$1.75.

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The best 40c, value we have sold, To-av 25c.

### and Mirrors 40c., 45c., 50c., and 75c qualities. Today 25c. Rotunda.

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108 in this lot.

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# Wednesday

Jackets for

We put on Sale WEDNESDAY all our Zibeline Jackets, prices from \$12.50 to \$17.50, all our Mixed Tweed Jackets, prices from \$12.50 to \$17.50; Black-dackets, prices \$15.00 and \$16.50. All sizes, all styles.

Wednesday, \$8.50 each.

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IN VANCOUVER

Noted Diva Not Invited Here But Goes to the Terminal City.

General regret will be felt at the announcement that Victorians will have no opportunity of hearing the world-famous songstress, Madame Adelina Patti. The renowned diva will, however, appear at the Vancouver opera house next Saturday evening, and Manager Ricketts is receiving warm praise for the enterprise he has displayed in securing such a star attraction. It is believed that had a more special effort been made that Victorians, who are notably music-loying, would have responded to an extent of guaranteeing the amount necessary to secure her appearance here. sary to secure her appearance here

Madame Patti sang before an immense audience in San Francisco on January 7th, and crincs agreed that her's is still a wonderful voice.

a wonderful voice.

It is now generally accepted and believed that this is positively Madame Patti's last professional tour, not alone of America but of the world. Some cheap humor is frequently indulged in about this by writers in want of a paragraph. It is one of the stock items always ready to be trotted out.

There is, of course, a possibility that Madame Patti may go on singing for many years yet. The marvelous preservation of her voice is due to the extreme care she takes of herself. No reason is apparent way she should not be able to sing at ninety with all the perenare evidences of youth which she seems to possess the same secret as the celebrated Minon de L'Enclos. She won men's hearts at eighty-nive though there

### Local News.

The Police Court.—The proceedings in the police court yesterday morning were of an unimportant character, two drunks only contributing the usual fines to the municipal exchequer.

Veterans' Association.—This evening n Pioneer hall the annual meeting of he Veterans' Association of Vancou-cer island will be held. Officers will be elected for the ensuing term and other

Chemainus Camp.—Consul Command-May, assisted by Povincial Manager allen, of the Woodmen of the World, Saturday evening at Chemainas, in-alled officers and initiated new mem-

Snow at Sooke,—Arrivals yesterday om Sooke and vicinity report that now uses on the mountains to a depth f about two feet, though the beautiful as not yet reached this city. On uturday night, at Cotwood, there was quite a fall, the ground being complete

Licensed Victualers,—An invortant meeting of the Licensed Victualers So-ciety was held yesterday afternoon in Pioneer half. There was a representa-tive attendance of members and ar-modality.

Another Lenora Strike.—H. C. Bellinger of the Crofton smeiter, who has just returned from Mount Sieker, reports that another ich strike has been made in the Lenora workings. It is more than likely that the body struck is a similar one to that from which the vast quantities of ore were taken at the time the mine reached its highest reputation. Under Manager Tregear work has been going on for some time in the old workings of the Lenora. Both in the Lenora and the Tyee the ore has been found up to the present along the diorite wall which cuts through the properties. Manager Tregear cut away from this in a northerly direction, running 100 feet, when the new hody was encountered. He has kept the find quiet for some little time, but after nine feet of rich copper ore had been cut into and the drills were still running in the same body he made known his find.

## Provincial Legislature

Assembly Resumes its Labors Yesterday and Transacts Considerable Business.

Several Bills Are Now Advanced Through Readings and the Committee.

Notes of Interest on Bills to Be Submitted to the House.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2 o'clock. Prayers were read by the Rev. S. S. Osterhout,

### PETITIONS.

Mr. Cotton presented the petition of Frederick Buseombe and others for a private bill to incorporate the Const-tution Railway Company. Laid on the Table. private

MOTIONS.

The following bills were introduced, read a first time and placed on the orders of the day for reading at next sitting of the house:

By Hon, Mr. Wilson for "An Act to consolidate and amend the law respecting the Qualification and Registration of Electors, the Regulation of Elections of Members of the Provincial Legislative Assembly, and the Trial of Controverted Elections."

Assembly, and the Frial of Controlleds Elections."

By Hon, Mr. Wilson, for "An Act to amend the 'Mechanics' Lien Act."

By Hon, Mr. Wilson for "An Act to amend the 'Sale of Goods Act."

By Hon, Mg. Wilson for "An Act respecting certain Contracts of Insurance,"

By Hon, Mr. Tatlow for "An Act to amend the 'Horticultural Board Act."

By Mr. Chifford for "An Act to amend the 'Provincial Elections Act."

### RESOLUTIONS.

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By Mr. Henderson: "That an Order of the House be granted for, a Return of all licenses issued by the Superintendent of Police under section 59, chapter 18, of the 'Liquor License Act, 1900,' from the 10th August, 1900, to December 12th, 1903; and that such return include the names of commercial traveler or agent, the principal and date of license, as near as possible."—Carried. By Hon Mr. Tatlow: "That the speech of His Honor the Licutenant Session be taken into consideration on Wednesday next."—Carried.

### QUESTIONS.

By Mr. Cameron of the Premier: 1. What steps have been taken by the overnment to facilitate the removal of the Indians from the Songhees Indian

Oval?

The Premier replied as follows:

I. An agent was appointed to examine defended upon suitable location to aich to remove the Indians. The revoral of the Indians is dependent upon eir censent. I am informed that every fort is being made by the Indian destrument to induce them to remove from e City of Victoria to a more suitable cality. The recent efforts made, hower, have been retarded by the absence of the Indians from the reserve various times, and by the death of the office of their chief councillors, men of sight is the band. There are also other fluctures in the way which it is hoped II be overcome during the present are. Should the Indians not be amenle to reason in all probability a recompatation will be made to the Dominion vernment for special legislation enling the department to deal summarily.

FIRE INSURANCE ACT.

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FIRE INSURANCE ACT.
The house went into committee of the whole on the bill to amend the Mutual Fire Insurance Companies' Act, 1902, Mr. Taylor in the chair.
Sec. 42 of the Act of 1902 as re-enacted in the Statutes of 1903 was struck out and the following was submitted in hen:

out and the following was successful.

"Contracts of insurance by mutual companies shall not exceed the terms of three years, and unless a mutual company has either a guarantee stock subscribed for of not less than twenty thousand dollars, or a reserve fund of at least five thousand dollars, and premium notes to the amount of at least twenty thousand dollars, or a reserve fund and premium notes together amounting to at the contract the superfive who is an experience of the superfive and dollars, no

The other important amendment raising of the amount of

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETIES

Hon. Mr. Tatlow moved the second eading of the bill to amend the Hortireading of the bill to amend the Horti-cultural and Agricultural Societies' Act, and gave a brief outline of the objects ought to be attained, which is to ensure ona ide formations.

Mr. Tanner argued that the proposed intendment would lead to fake member-sip donations received being set down s actual membership fees.

The bill was read a second time.

INSECTIVOROUS BIRDS ACT. Hen. Mr. Tatlow moved the second adding of the bill to protect insectivors and other birds, and explained that ous and other birds, and expanded that in view of the recent importations of insectivorous and song birds, he had been asked to introduce legislation for their protection. Bill read a second time, to be continued next sitting of the thouse.

The report of the act to amend the Pharmacy Act was adopted on motion of Mr. Fraser. It was read a third

COAL MINES' REGULATION. COAL MINES' REGULATION.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite moved that the act to amend the Coal Mines Regulation Act be committed. Mr. Drury took the enair, and the tollowing amendments were incorporated in the bill:

"Bank" for the purpose of this act shall mean the pit-head or any surface entrance to a mine.

This act thad come into force upon the first day of June, 1905.

The lift was reported complete with amendments.

THE INVERARITY CASE.

The Premier submitted a return of all the papers and documents called for by an order of the House connected with the Inversity case. NOTICES OF MOTION.

By Mr. Hawthornthwaite to ask leave to introduce a bill entitled an Act for the Protection of Deer on Vancouver Island. NOTICE OF QUESTION.

MOTICE OF QUESTION.

Mr. Tanner, will ask the Chief Commissioner on Wednesday next:

How many lessees of timber lands are a arrears on account of their leases?

What amounts are owing by each essee?

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to be obtained.

When did the government take action? PRIVATE BILLS COMMITTEE.

The private bills committee will meet, this morning to consider the following

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To incorporate the Alberni and Cowichan railway. (No. 3.)

To amend the Act of Incorporation of the city of Vancouver. (No. 1.)

To amend the Act of Incorporation of the city of Vancouver. (No. 2.)

To incorporate the Vancouver Insurance Company. (No. 4.)

The House adjourned at 3.15 p.m. until 2 p.m. today.

NOTES ON BILLS.

Mr. Clifford's bill to amend the Provincial Elections Act is interesting, and demoses more clearly the term "Indian," as follows:

"The expression 'Indian' shall mean any person of pure Indian blood, and any person of pure Indian blood, and any person of pure Indian cytraction having his home upon or within the confines of an Indian reserve."

The master and first officer of any coasting vessel, of two hundred and fifty tons and over, are hereby constituted returning officer and deputy returning officer, respectively, by virtue of their offices, for the purpose only of taking the votes of the officers and crews of their vessels on the day appointed for the holding of an election.

Such officers' shall hold office only while they are actually engaged on hoard ship, but in the discharge of their duties shall have and exercise all the rights, powers and privileges conferred on returning officers by the provisions of this act.

As soon as a proclamation has been issued under the provisions of the "Provincial Elections Act," the master of each vessel, as aforesaid, shall be supplied with ballot boxes and ballots for the electoral districts at which his vessel touches in the course of her voyage, and on the day set for the election

issued under the provisions of the "Provincial Elections Act," the master of each vessel, as aforesaid, shall be supplied with ballot boxes and ballots for the electoral districts at which his vessel touches in the course of her voyage, and on the day set for the election he shall take, in the manner prescribed by the "Provincial Elections Act," the votes of his crew, and shall make a return of the same in like manner as other returning officers under the provisions of the "Provincial Elections Act."

The Attorney-General's bill respecting the Sale of Goods Act contains the following suggested amendments:

(2) Should any goods or chattels subject to the provisions of this act be affixed to any realty, such goods and chattels shall notwithstanding remain so subject and shall not be realty, but the owner of such realty, or any purchaser, or any mortgagee, or other encumbrancer on such realty, shall have the right as against the manufacturer, bailor or vendor thereof, or any person claiming through or under them, to retain the said goods and chattels, upon payment of the amount due and owing thereon.

(3) The provisions of subsection (2) of this section are to be deemed retroactive, and shall apply to past as weil as to

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The following is the substance of the Attorney-General's bill respecting certain contracts of insurance:

2. Where the subject matter of any insurance contract is property, or an insurance contract is property, or an insurance interest within the jurisdiction of British Columbia, or is a person domiciled or resident therein, any policy, certificate, interim receipt, or renewal, countersigned, issued or delivered over in British Columbia, or committed to the postofilee, or to any carrier, messenge or agent, to be delivered or handed over to the assured, his assigns or agent in British Columbia, be deemed to evidence a contract made therein which is subject to and to be construed necording to the law of British Columbia, and all the rights of the assured, and of his assigns under said contract, shall be governed by the law of British Columbia, and all the rights, interests and status of any beneficiaries in the benefits of the contract shall arise according to and he governed by the law of British Columbia, and all moneys payable under the contract, or by agent in British Columbia and all moneys payable under the contract, or by agent in British Columbia of the insuring corporation in lawful money agreement, condition or stipulation to the contrary.

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Victims Of Wreck

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WAS A MISTAKE.

Michigan Man Says Launching of Boats

Was a Terrible Error.

The account of the wreck as given by E. L. Ferris, a Travis City, Mich., man, is about as comprehensive as any.

"When the Challam began drifting, said the Michigan man, "and we discovered that she was helpiless in the storm, but few realized the true situation. We were so near to land that those not conversant with seamanship failed to realize that there was much danger. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the ship began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was only when the callad man began to fill that we became very apprehensive. It was not the followed a few minutes later. Bolton stood on the forward deck with his eyer rived on the mere shell which, with its burden of human freight, was caught up by the angry seas and carried away in the teeth of the sprint his city of the strain into a fu

Cabin Boy Tells of the Tragic Occur-

laing thereupon pass around the little one and took him to the deck, i After the tug took hold and the vessel filled and settled King clambered out on the starboard side, which was the only part above water, and held on livith fifteen or twenty others. He was washed off by a wave and swam for the raft which had been cut loose by the mate some time before, and was hauled aboard. Capt. Roberts, the mate and several others were on it. They got a line from the tug and climbed aboard. Unle tugs picked up a number of others who were clinging to pieces of wreckinge."

CAPT. LAWRENCE'S DEATH. Made a Brave Fight Before He Suc-cumbed.

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Capt. T. Lawrence, a Yukon river steamboat captain, who is employed during the summer season by the Wotte Pass and Yukon route, left the steamship in the first boat launched at the request of Capt. Roberts, and was thrown adrift by the capsizing of the boat before it got away from the Clallam's side. Capt. Lawrence was observed by some of the surviving members of the crew to strike out for the steamer and call for a rope to be thrown him from the vessel. In response to the cries of Lawrence and others of the bott's crew, ropes were thrown out and one of these was seized upon by Capt. Lawrence.

But two men were holding to the rope on the steamer's deck, and one of them was called away by other matters and all the other was unable to hand in the rope. He succeeded in making the rope fast and called to Capt. Lawrence to hold on until he could secure assistance.

Scapt. Lawrence would have been able to do but for the fact that another of the men struggling in the water seized upon him and unable to sustain the weight of both, Capt Lawrence lost his hold on the rope.

Another witness of this said that when the boat capsized Capt. Lawrence, a powerful swimmer, swam back toward the Clallam. In some manner he mannered to reach a rope hanging over the vessel's side, holding on in an exhausted and half-hearted manner. For a moment he clung there, almost safe from the storm, then releasing his grasp, sank back into the sea. Few of those on board were witnesses to this tragic features of the lifeboat's loss, and before they could help him Capt.

THE INQUEST. Impanelled Yesterday Morning.

ing.

Coroner Hart called an inquest yesterday morning to allow friends of those who were drowned and whose bodies have been found to formally identify and take possession of them. J. H. Fletcher, T. N. Hibben, Chas. Cullin, Chas. Weiler, Jas. Rostein and Wm. Herbert Marcon were sworn in, Mr. Fletcher being selected foreman.

The coroner said he had called them together early so that friends of the dead might be able to fill all the requirements of identification as soon as possible. It was not his desire to harrow the feelings of relatives and friends by keeping the bodies any longer than was absolutely necessary.

The jury visited the undertaking partors. After having viewed the remains, three of the bodies were formally identified, H. C. Bellinger testified as to the identity of Miss Harris; F. Pinder to Miss Galletty, and W. J. Wilkinson to Miss Diprose.

It was decided to adjourn to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Arrangements for the interment of the

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Yesterday afternoon a deckland who was among the saved from the disaster, called at the parlors of the B. C. Funcial Furnishing Company, where a number of the bodies are being embalmed, and, looking sadily at the body of a young lady, exclaimed: "Ah, I had a great hartle with that near right or as 1800 N. S. Government street. Horse-treet butter that the with that near right to gas 1800 N. S. Government street. great battle with that poor girl to get the into the bout. She fought me and declared she would not go. But it was the captain's orders to place all the women and children in the boats, and I had to do my duty."

Stop Saloon, S5 Government street, in the City of Victoria, to us, the undersigned, Walter Arthur Millington and Frederick women and children in the boats, and I had to do my duty."

EDWARD HARRIS.

WALTER ARTHUR MILLINGTON

WILL CONTINUE SEARCH.

Commodore Gooderich, of the Graf-ton, yesterday evening notined His Wor-ship Mayor McCandless that his search of yesterday for hodies of vietings of the Clallam disaster had proved fruitship Mayor McCandless that his search of yesterday for hodies of victins of the Chilam disaster had proved fruitless, but he would send the Grafton out again this morning, searching the shore as far as Race Rocks. The commodore added that he would be only too willing to do everything possible to recover the bodies.

One by one the unfortunate victims of the Chillam disaster are being claimed by friends and relatives. Yesterday the Fraternal Order of Eagles of Victoria,

THE LORNE RETURNED.

Had She Not Got Water at San Juan She Would Have Been Here.

Had the tug Lorae returned to Victoria from Cape Flattery, when Capt Cutler thought of coming, she would have been here on Friday and ready to render the much-needed succor to the steamer Clallam. The Lorne was at the Cape, riding the terrific seas which swung her high up on a mountain of waters, and then dropped her in valleys between like a duck. She ran short of water and Capt, Cutler decided to run back to Victoria for water on Thursday afternoon. Soon after he started, though, he decided that he would not come in without a tow unless the company ordered him home. He went into San Juan harbor for water, and then returned into the storm on Friday afternoon. She got the German ship Ocean dock yesterday with Thos. Sullins, and W. H. La Plant, both of whom had lost their wives in the Clallam disaster, and both of whom spoke bitterly regarding the condition of the vessel. They were straining their eyes on the yovage to Victoria in the hope of sighting the remains of their loved ones.

THE INQUEST.

Miss Louise Harris, of Spokane, found by tug Albion floating off Clover Point. Mrs. Thomas Sullins, Mount Sicker, B. L. found near boat in which was the body of Miss.

of Miss Harris.
Miss Galletty, Victoria, daughter of A.
Miss Galletty, manager Bank of Montreal,
Victoria; found off Clover Point.
Miss Ethel Diprose, Tacoma, picked up
on the shore near Beacon Hill.
Alex. Harvey, deek hand on the Clallam,
deked up near quarantine station, William
Head.

lead.
Mrs. Reynolds, found floating near Alb
lead by the quaranthe tug Earle.
Miss Minnle Murdoch of Seattle.
Mrs. Hattle Moore, of San Juan.

Mrs. Hattle Moore, of San Juan.
At Port Townsend.
Capt. Allvingstone Thompson, Victoria,
W. B. Gibbons, Tacoma.
Eugene Hicks, Friday Harbor.
Archie Hadson, boy in charge of texas
rooms on board of steamer.
C. P. Johnson, Portland.
All the foregoing were picked up near
floating fragments of the wreck by the
tug Bahada Saturday afternoon.
STILL MISSING.

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Women and Children.
Mrs. Rouin, Seattle.
Miss Anie Murray, Victoria.
Mrs. A. J. C. Galletly, Victoria.
Mrs. Carles Cox, Ladysmith.
Miss Gill, San Francisco.
Mrs. II. W. La Plant, Friday Harbor.
Mrs. R. Turner, Victoria.
Mrs. La Core Richards, Port Townsend.
Miss Bellies, residence not known.
Three children of Mr, and Mrs. L. L.
utilins.

One child of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Li Plant, Friday Harber. Men.

Men.
Capt. Tom Lawrence, Victoria,
George J. Jeffs, Victoria,
N. P. Shaw, Victoria,
Col. C. W. Thompson, Tacoma,
George Hyson, residence not known,
A. Valdemeer, residence not known,
Guy Dandels, Kansas City,
H. Buckner, residence not known,
Charles Thomas, Ladysmith,
C. H. Joy, residence not known,
C. J. Burney, residence not known,
R. G. Campbell, 2005 Twentleth avenue
feattle.

Prince, Kansas City.

A. K. Prince, Kansas City.
W. E. Rooklikge, Tacoma.
W. Clurrett, residence not known.
P. La Piant, Friday Harbor.
R. Turner, Victoria.
R. Turner, Victoria.
Charles Green, Victoria.
Homer H. Swaney, Seattle.
Bruno Lehman, Tacoma.
Edward Lockwood, Seattle; freight clerk.
James Smith, Seattle; first assistant enincer.

theres Manson, Seattle; stevedore and cling second officer. R. Lindhøpe, Seattle; scaman. Joseph Jewell, Victoria; saloon watch-Alex. Harvey, Senttle; messman. Robert Currie, Victoria; assistant stew

Harvey Sears, Victoria; seaman.

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J. R. SEYMOUR.

J. R. SEYMOUR, Chairman of Executive.

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LEONARD H. SOLLY.
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### **Final Session** Of Old Council

Board of 1903 at Retiring Meeting Transact Considerable Business.

Various Members Exchange Courtesie in Brief and Interesting Speeches.

Last evening the aldermanic board cheeted to preside during the year 1903 held its last meeting and transacted a considerable quantity of important business. A pleasing feature of the session was the exchange of complimentary references between the various members of the board. His Worship Mayor McCandless bidding farewelt to the board in an appropriate little speech.

Mayor McCandless presided, and there was a bare quorum present, made up of Aldermen Kinsman, Cameron, Vincent, Goodacre and Stewart.

H. D. Helmeken, K. C., wrote recommending that, in view of the Clallam disaster, a public meeting should be called to consider the situation.

Mayor McCandless explained what had occurred at a meeting of the council of the board of trade that afternoon. The letter was laid on the table.

C. W. Rodgers asked that a suitable concrete sidewalk be laid on Goodon street. Referred to the city engineer for report.

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Thomas C. Sorby reminded the council that he had an unsatisfied claim standing for years, and he pressed again for settlement. The letter was received and filed.

Miss S. Bowes, of Vancouver, forwarded sympathy at the dreadful Clalma disaster. Received and filed.

James A. Daley, wiring inspector, submitted his report for the month of December. Received and filed.

The usual annual reports were presented by the city clerk.

Referred to the incoming council.

The legislative committee submitted an exhaustive report containing various suggested amendments to the Municipal Clauses Act, which was adopted.

The streets committee handed in the usual routine report, which was adopted.

The fire wardens reported as follows: Gentlemen,—In response to your resolu-

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Gentlemen.—In response to your resolution of the 4th list., we, your fire wardens,
chief of fire department and building inspector, visited the various theatres in the
city and are of the opinion the buildings
have a sufficiency of exits in case of fire
or panic, but as we consider the greatest
danger might be caused by crossed wires,
His Worship the Mayor has instructed the
electric wiring inspector to make a thorough inspection of the wiring and when
this has been done, we will report further
thereon. We are also of opinion that the
committee should follow the investigation
further and look to all public buildings to
see if the building and fire bylaws are
sufficiently stringent to protect the public
against any accidents which are liable to
occur.

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We consider that the management of the various public buildings should see that every propery facility is used for the convenience of the people in leaving the various buildings.

The report was adopted.

The finance committee recommended the appropriation of \$600 out of the current revenue. Adopted.

Ald. Cameron, seconded by Ald. Vincent, moved that the final steps be taken towards giving the C. P. R. title to the land for an hotel site at James' Bay.

Bay. This exhausting the regular business, Ald. Cameron rose, and said he felt it proper on his retirement from the board after having served for a period of seven years, to thank His Worship and the members for the courtesy shown him during the past year. The best of good feeling had prevailed and the retiring heard had always worked most harmoniously together. He also had a word of praise for the various corporation officials, who had always treated him most courteously. He thought that the citizens generally were well satisfied with the work of the council of 1903, (Applause.)

(Applause.)
Ald, Barnard followed with similar remarks. He did not know, of course, if he would be back again in the council chamber this year—he would know more about that on Thursday. (Laughter.) He complimented the mayor on the unfailing courtesy he had shown himself and other members of the board. He had worked with them for two years and he could testify that the proceedings had always been of the most harmonious character, free from the bick-

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

New York, Jan. 11.—There was a general agreement today that the outlook for a generent today that the outlook for a general adjustment of the Russo-Japanese dispute was distinctly more cheerful. All the speculative markets moved in conformity with this view, stocks and cotton of the speculative markets moved in conformity with this view, stocks and cotton of the speculative markets moved in conformity with this view, stocks and cotton of the speculative markets moved in conformity with this view, stocks and cotton of the speculative markets moved in conformity with this view, stocks and cotton of the speculative markets moved in conformity with this view, stocks and cotton of the speculative markets moved in the speculative market pool in many of the stocks as affected of prices. The very general character of the upward movement in the stocks and cotton methods attaching to it and the common methods attaching to the substantial movement. Intimations that banking arrangements had been made for remitting the Panama cannal pay ments to Paris in installments after attached to Paris in installments aft

advances.

Both tends were firm and the market showed broadening tendency. Total sales par value were \$3,025,000. United States bends were unchanged on call.

New York, Jan. 11.—Fig fron, quiet; northern, \$13.05 to \$16; Southern, \$12.25 to \$14.25; copper, firm at \$12.75 to \$13; lead, firm at \$4.40 to \$4.50; tin, firm; straits, \$2.92 to \$20054; plates, market, firm; speiter, easy; domestic, \$5.00 to \$5.10.

### PASSENGERS.

PASSENGERS.

d'assengers per steamer Charmer from Vancouver: J. F. Gibson, S. Crowder, Mrs. Dodd, H. Edwards, J. Jenkins, T. A. Merler, J. Links, J. Watson, P. C. McGregor, R. Potter, J. Shaw and wife, Miss Holmes, A. V. Crisp, H. E. Larzarus, J. H. King, W. D. Busk, R. Wilkinson, E. Davy, A. P. Bennett, W. A. Lawson, H. Draney and wife, Miss Jackson, Miss Brignall, T. Blissinger, P. Burns, W. G. Thomson, H. S. Bevan, W. T. Henry, Geo. De-Wolfe, Capt. Fraser, E. W. Keenlayside, F. H. Lantz, Mrs. Brignall, J. O. LeCapellan, J. J. Logan, J. W. Horn.

### THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, Jan. 11.—8 p. m.
SYNOPSIS.

There are indications of another ocean
storm area approaching the Washington
coast. Heavy rainfall has occurred from
the Columbia river to the Straits of Fuca
and the Lower Mainland, and snow continues on the higher lands east of the Cascades. At Dawson the weather is fair
with extreme cold reaching 40 degrees below zero and the increase of pressure in
the northern part of the province probably
indicates the near approach of a severe
cold wave throughout the Canadian Northwest where today fair cold weather prevails with light snowfall at Winnipeg.

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TEMPERATURE.	
Mi	n. Max.
Victoria 37	
New Westminster 30	
Kamloops 24	28
Barkerville 2	
Dawson40	36
Calgary 10	30
Winnipeg 4	28
Portland, Ore 48	48
San Francisco 48	54

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time) day: and Vicinity: Fresh easterly to herly winds, unsettled and cold

northerly winds, unsettled and cold with rain or snow. over Mainland: Moderate winds, fresh on straits or Georgia, unsettled and

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD. Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Ob-ervations take daily at 5 a. m., noon and p. m.

SUNDAY, JAN. 10.

Ayerage state of weather—Baset... Rain—53 inch. Sunshine—42 minutes. Barometer at noon—Observed..... Corrected ... 29.663
NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected......29.80 MONDAY, JAN. 11.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected.....30.18

Arthur Chamberlain, of Birmingham, England, a nephew of Joseph Chamberlain, has been touring Canada, partly on busi-cess and partly on pleasure. He benrs a strong resemblance to Joseph, and looks and talks like a sharp, shrewd man of business.

Senator Hoar in his remarkable speech last week, dealt frequently with the word "Panama," which he invariably spoke as though it rhymed with "pajama," Senator Daniel, the eloquent Virginian, had occasion to speak often of the treaty of New Grannda, which he pronounced as though it rhymed with Canada.

### A MONTH'S WORK OF THE S. P C. A.

Splendid Record By Organization on Behalf of the Dumb Animals.

The work carried out by the commit-tee of the S.P.C.A. society during the last month oridences incessant activity, which is only another way of saying that cruelty to the lower animal crea-tion would seem to be needing the efforts of the society more than at any previous dime.

Ald. Stewart said he had been at the board for three years, and hoped he would be with them for another year. He could honestly say that of all previous conneils he had sat at, the present one had conducted the proceedings the most harmoniously.

Ald. Kinsman, the veteran of the most harmoniously.

Ald. Kinsman, the veteran of the board, who has served for ten consecutive years, and shopes to be back again, followed with similar pleasing remarks, as did also Ald. Goodacro and Ald. Vincent.

His Worship Mayor McCandless, in reply, expressed keen appreciation for the various kind expressions which had lalen from the lips of the aldermen. He assured them that his duties had been made easy by the manner in which they had supported him; his decisions had never been questioned, and this was something he felt not a little proud of.

The council then adjourned.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

New York, Jan. 11.—There was a general agreement today that the outlook for a gravement today that the outlook for a gravement today that the outlook for a gravement today that the outlook for a little processing the society more than at any previous dime. Ohe they are previous dime, the grave then the first of the committee meet-would also show that a great deal of cruelty is brought under notice but cannot be prosecuted either because of the extreme reductance witnesses have to give evidence, to help the society for the public good, or, because it is often very discovery condenses and circ that the dogs had to be destroyed and the offender sent to prison.

A prosecution for plucking fowls alive also occupied considerable time and attention. A conviction was obtained against Chinamen for overcrowding fowls, in cases where poultry are consigned.

brought under notice at the puone meeting.

Still another sub-committee is acting with the Natural History Society for the protection of game and song birds.

The amendment of the incorporation act to enable the society to deal more efficiently with severely wounded animals, and for which H. D. Helmcken, K.C., and others accomplished so much, will again be brought into the Legislative Assembly by a strong supporter of the society. The committee feels confident that in such able hands, strengthead by the city members and the national strengthead.

will again be brought into the Legislative Assembly by a strong supporter of the society. The committee feels confident that in such able hands, strengthened by the city members and the numerous well-wishers of the society in the latence. The committee desires to the society will be attained.

Upon representations frequently made to this society, the committee desires to use this opportunity of asking hack drivers who are called off the stand, where the horses may have been getting a little stiff, to let them start off quietly at first and warm gradually to their work; and not whip them up and urgo them at an extreme pace at first, which tends to distress them very much for the remainder of the journey. As hackmen as a rule are very considerate to their horses, the society feels sure drivers will act upon this suggestion now that it has been brought under their notice.

The committee have much pleasure in amouncing that a free magic lantern entertainment will shortly be given to young people. The general secretary has had placed at his disposal a beautiful set of slides belonging to Mr. Sparling, which have been so successfully exhibited in Vancouver and other places. A fine magic lantern will be operated on this occasion, but further particulars will be given by advertisement.

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Tolstoi.
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# MUNICIPAL NOTICE

# Municipal Elections

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the ald electors at the City Hall, in the aforesald City on Monday, the 11th day of Jannary, 1904, from 12 (noon) to 2 p. m., for he purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as

Mayor or Aldermen.

The mode of nomination of candidates

shall be as follows: The candidates shald be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the

# ELECTION OF SCHOOL

School District. of the full age of twenty-one years, and otherwise qualified by the "Public Schools Act" to vote at an election of School Trus-

shall be as follows: The candidates shall be nominated in

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Scaled tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Wednesday, 20th January, 1904, from any person who may desire to obtain a lease, under the provisions of section 42 of the "Land Act," for the purpose of cutting timber therefrom of a timber limit situated on the Kin-anch River, Vancouver Island, known as Lots 110, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124 and 125, Rupert District, containing in the aggregate 21, 356 acres.

District, containing in the aggregate 21,-956 acres.

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W. S. GORE, Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, \$\mathbf{c}\$ C, 16th December, 1903.

# Meetings

times and places:

North Ward School, Monday, January 11th
Odd Fellows' Hall, Spring Ridge, Tuesday, January 12th.
All other candidates are invited to attend. Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock.

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Returning Officer at any time between the late of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of the nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be opened on Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1904, from 9 a. m. to 7:30 p. m., in the manner

Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1904, from 9 a. m. to 7:30 p. m., in the manner following:

For the office of Mayor, in the Court Room of the City Hall aforesald.

For the office of Alderman for North Ward, in Room No. 9, Public Market Building, Cormorant street.

For the office of Alderman for the Central Ward, in Room No. 7, Public Market Building, Cormorant street.

For the office of Alderman for the South Ward, in Room No. 5, Public Market Building, Cormorant street.

For the office of Alderman for the South Ward, in Room No. 5, Public Market Building, Cormorant street, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The persons qualified to be nominated for the election as Mayor of the City of Victoria shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the noulnation, registered owner in the Land Registry Office of Land or Real Estate in the City of Victoria of the assessed value on the last municipal assessment roll of one thousand dollars, or more over and above any registered incumbrance or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as municipal voters.

The persons qualified to be nominated for, and elected as Alderman of the City of Victoria, shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the Land Registry Office of Land or Real Property in the City of Victoria of the assessed value on the last municipal assessment roll of they hundred dollars, or more, over and above any registered incumbrance or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as municipal voters.

Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, the 2nd day of January, 1304.

WM. WORTHOCTT, Returning Officer.

# |MUNICIPAL NOTICE

TRUSTEES

ors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said electors at the City Hall, in the afore-said City on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1904, from 12 (noon) to 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing four members

of the Board of Trustees for Victoria City Any person being a housholder in the School District, and being a British subject

ees in the said School District is eligible to be elected or to serve as a School True The mode of nomination of candidates

The candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed posor and seconder, and shall be delivered by two voters of the Municipality as proto the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p. m. of the day of the nomination, and in event of a pol, being necessary such poll will be opened on Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1904, in the Court Room of the City Hall aforesaid, from 9 a. m. to 7:39 p. m., at which time and place each elector who is duly qualified to vote for Mayor, will be entitled to cast his vote for four (4) candidates for members of the Board of School Trustees, but may only cast one vote for any such candidate, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, the 2nd day of January, 1904.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Returning Offleer.

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